GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

MINES & MINERALS – Mining Lease for Limestone over an extent of 5.34 acres in Sy. No.60/2 of Ravirala (V), Jaggaiahpeta (M), Krishna District held by Sri N. Parasuram – Declared as lapsed under Rule 28 (1) of M.C Rules, 1960 - Orders – Issued.

INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (M.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 189. Dated: 19.11.2014

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.63, Ind. & Com. Dept., Dt.03.04.1997.

- 2. From Sri N. Parasuram, M.L. application Dt:Nil.
- 3. From the Director of Mines & Geology, A.P., Hyderabad, file bearing No.2233/R2-2/2006,
- 4. Govt. Memo No.7565/M.II(2)/2006, Ind. & Com. Dept., dt.24.11.2006.

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ORDER:

In the reference first read above, Government have granted a Mining Lease for Limestone over an extent of 5.34 acres in Sy. No.60/2 of Ravirala (V), Jaggaiahpeta (M), Krishna District a period of (20) years in favour of Sri N. Parasuram and the Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Krishna executed the lease on 01.10.1997.

- 2. In the reference second read above, the Director of Mines & Geology, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad has submitted proposals for lapsing of the lease held by Sri N. Parasuram, under Rule 28(1) of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 on the following grounds, for consideration of the Government:
 - 1. The Mine is non-working since six years i.e. from the date of execution.
 - 2. There are no boundary pillars seen around leased area. The lessee has not submitted monthly return and annual accounts so far.
 - 3. The lessee could not operate the mine for a continuous period of two years.
- 3. Government after considering the report of the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad, it was proposed to lapse the above mining lease held by Sri N. Parasuram and accordingly, a show cause notice was issued in the reference 3rd read above under rule 28 (1) of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 as to why the Mining Lease held by him shall not be declared as lapsed, and submit his explanation/ representation within 15 days failing which it will be construed that he has no explanation/ representation on the action proposed and further action will be taken on the material available with the Government.
- 4. It should be noted in this regard that mineral wealth is the wealth of the nation and should be put to use for public good. Government gave mining lease so that the lessee could do mining scientifically within the prescribed time limits and use the mined mineral. Such a mine would generate revenue for the State by way of taxes, employment for the local people and give boost to the overall economy of the region besides industrializing the area. None of these objectives could be achieved due to the abject failure of the lessee.

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- 5. Government after careful consideration of the matter have decided to declare the Mining Lease held by Sri N. Parasuram for Limestone over an extent of 5.34 acres in Sy. No.60/2 of Ravirala (V), Jaggaiahpeta (M), Krishna District, as lapsed under Rule 28(1) of M.C Rules,1960, as the lessee has failed to fulfill the lease conditions.
- 6. The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

[BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH]

J.S.V. PRASAD

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri N. Parasuram, S/o. Sri Jayanth,

Seetharampuram Village, Jaggaiahpeta Mandal,

Krishna District. (BY RPAD)

The Director of Mines & Geology, Govt. A.P., Hyderabad (with connected file).

Copy to:

The Zonal Joint Director of Mines & Geology), Visakhapatnam.

The Deputy Director of Mines & Geology, Guntur.

The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Krishna Dist.

The District Collector, Krishna Dist.

The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Mines, Sastry Bhavan, New Delhi-110001.

The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Indira Bavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur-440001.

The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Jarkand.

The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.

SF/SCs (C.No.7565/M.II(2)/2006).

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER